

AMENDMENT

In the Claims: please amend the Claims as follows to correct informal language:

1. (Currently Amended) A composition comprising a stable, clear aqueous cleansing phase having stably dispersed and suspended therein particles bearing conditioning agents comprising:

- (a) 2-25 wt % of a high foaming anionic surfactant,
- (b) an amphoteric surfactant [, especially] in quantities from 0.2 wt % of the composition up to a quantity wherein clarity of the aqueous phase is maintained,
- (c) an effective amount of a viscoelastic enhancing, suspending material comprised of both about 0.4-1.5 wt % of a xanthan gum and about 0.2-1.5 wt % of a guar gum wherein both said xanthan gum and said guar gum (i) each have an initial transparency of at least 85% and (ii) each have a particle size such that each gum goes through a 250 micron mesh screen, and
- (d) insoluble stably suspended particles having a particle size in the range of about 200-2500 microns and which bear conditioning agents on and/or inside their surface which when applied to the skin or hair provides a conditioning effect, wherein the clear aqueous cleansing phase has a clarity of less than or equal to 20 Nephelometric Turbidity Units and all amounts are based on the weight of the total composition.

2. (Original) The composition in accordance with Claim 1 wherein (a) is an ethoxylated sulfate or sulfonate in an amount of about 2 wt. % to about 20 wt. % of the composition.

3. (Original) The composition in accordance with Claim 1 wherein (b) is a betaine in an amount of at least about 0.2 wt. % of the composition.

4. (Original) The composition in accordance with Claim 1 comprising about 0.6-1.0 wt. % of the xanthan gum.

5. (Original) The composition in accordance with Claim 1 comprising about 0.3-0.8 wt. % of the guar gum.

6. (Original) The composition in accordance with Claim 1 comprising the xanthan gum in a larger quantity than the guar gum.